GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3120
ANSWERED ON:08.12.2000
INQUIRY AGAINST CRICKETEERS .
GADDE RAMAMOHAN;M.V.V.S MURTHI;SHIVAJI MANE

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Enforcement Directorate is examining the possibility of instituting cases against cricket players alleged to have received certain payments in foreign countries;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether any communication and documents were also received by the E.D. from the Ministry of Home Affairs in this regard;

(d) if so, whether the E.D. has completed its investigation; and

(e) if so, the outcome thereof with the action likely to be taken against the guilty players ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE(SHRI GINGEE N. RAMACHANDRAN)

(a) & (b): Sir, an investigation has been initiated by the Enforcement Directorate to find out if any Cricket playerhas received foreign exchange outside India in violation of the provisions of FERA/FEMA.
(c) No, Sir.
(d) & (e) : Do not arise.